

Constitution of committee for monitoring of work of proposed Wadsa-Gadchiroli New Broad Gauge Railway Line.

**Government of Maharashtra
Revenue and Forest Department
Government Resolution No.: FLD-2018/CR-236/F-10
Mantralaya, Mumbai-400 032
Date: 22.05.2019**

Read :

1. Government of Maharashtra Letter Even No. dated 14.08.2018
2. Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, New Delhi Letter No. FC-III/MH-31/2018-NGP/5190, dt.12.04.2019
3. National Tiger Conservation Authority Letter No.1-4/99-PT(Part), dt.23.04.2019
4. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur Letter No. Desk-17/NC/1/ID-12533/147/19-20, dt.04.05.2019

Preamble :

Government of Maharashtra has submitted a proposal for diversion of 83.431 ha. (final area 71.72 ha.) of Forest Land for construction of Wadsa-Gadchiroli New Railway Line to Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi vide letter under reference No.1

2. Accordingly, Government of India has accorded 'in-principle' approval to divert the forest land for the said project with certain conditions. In which condition no. (xxxv) is as follows:-

(xxxv)- Based on the request of State Government, NTCA has already conducted a site visit on 22.01.2019. The comments/recommendations of the NTCA shall be binding on the User Agency / State Government (if they are different from the team of WII and NTCA);

In pursuance to above condition National Tiger Conservation Authority, vide letter under reference No.3, has recommended as follows:-

(g)- Monitoring committee shall be constituted under Chairmanship of concern Conservator of Forests (CF) having representation from user agency.

Committee shall report to the Chief Wildlife Warden on progress of work and compliance of these conditions as well as other (if any)

3. As per the recommendation of NTCA, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, vide letter under reference No.4, has proposed a committee under chairmanship of Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Gadchiroli.

Resolution :

Government is pleased to sanction the constitution of a Committee for monitoring of work of proposed Wadsa-Gadchiroli New Broad Gauge Railway Line as per the recommendation of NTCA. The constitution of the committee shall be as under:-

1. Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Chandrapur	- Chairman
2. Representative of Railways (User Agency)	- Member
3. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Wadsa	- Member Secretary

The Committee shall monitor the progress of work of the above said project & compliance of conditions stipulated by NTCA. The committee will report to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden, Maharashtra State, Nagpur time to time.

This Government resolution of Maharashtra Government is available at the website www.maharashtra.gov.in. Reference no. for this is 201905221804454519. This order has been signed digitally.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra.

(**Virendra Tiwari**)
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Mantralaya)

Copy to :

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2. Member Secretary, National Tiger Conservation Authority, B-1 Wing, 7th floor, Pt.Deendayal Antyodaya Bhavan, CGO Complex, New Delhi-110003.
3. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Maharashtra State, Nagpur.
4. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden, Maharashtra State, Nagpur
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur
5. Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Gadchiroli .
6. Deputy Conservator of Forests, Wadsa.
7. Select file (F-10).